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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and supplementing the Information Disclosure Statement filed on March 14, 2002, applicants hereby submit copies of certain literature documents, including the documents identified in the background of the application, in conformance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98.

The documents are identified on the attached form PTO-1449 and it is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider the documents in connection with the examination of the present application and initial and return a copy of the PTO form to the undersigned attorney.

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